

TWO SENATORS ELECTED IN LITTLE DELAWARE

Addicks Named the Man For the Long Term, the Kickers Taking the Short End of the String.

Deal Was Engineered by Mark Hanna—Gasman Expects to Secure the Toga in 1904.

DOVER, Del., March 2.—In anticipation of the election of a United States senator the crowd at Dover today broke all records. Colonel Dick, secretary of the Republican congressional committee, reached here at 10:30 and went into the regular Republican caucus in progress at the Hotel Richardson.

J. Edward Addicks arrived ahead of Mr. Dick and, after a conference with his state central committee, appeared at the state house, accompanied by State Chairman Allee, who is regarded as his candidate for senator in the event of an election. Later Mr. Addicks went into the union Republican caucus by invitation of Dr. Moore, its chairman.

Democratic State Chairman Willard Salisbury, accompanied by former Senator Kenney, Peter J. Ford, Dr. William F. Moore, Edmund D. Hearn, composing the state advisory committee, joined the Democratic caucus at 11 o'clock. They took with them a paper agreeing to elect two regular Republicans in order to beat the Addicks program.

Democrats Were Firm.

The Democratic caucus refused to accept the proposition of their advisory committee, but decided unanimously to vote for one senator, thus insuring an election today.

Representatives Tyre and Brice, Republicans, who have been friendly to Addicks, left the regular Republican caucus and went to the meeting of the union Republicans where they were greeted with much enthusiasm.

The union Republican caucus named J. Frank Allee as their candidate for United States senator, and agreed with the regular Republicans to vote on Friday and then take a recess until 3 o'clock, when two senators will be elected. Mr. Addicks appeared in the assembly hall at 12 o'clock, and his friends greeted him enthusiastically.

The thirty-two members of the United States senator resulted as follows:

Long term—Addicks, 21; Salisbury, 21; Dupont, 8; Higgins, 2.

Short term—Addicks, 19; Kenney, 21; Higgins, 8; Billes, 2; Richardson, 2; no election.

After the ballot Senator Sparks moved to take a recess until 2:30 this afternoon, everybody voting "yes" with a shout.

Deadline Ended.

The Delaware legislature this afternoon ended the deadlock by electing State Senator J. Frank Allee, union Republican, to the long term senatorship, which expires in 1907, and Congressman Lewis Heister Ball, regular Republican, to the short term, which expires in 1905. Allee was congratulated by his colleagues and by the assembly generally. Congressman Ball is in Washington.

The result is regarded here as an Addicks victory. Pressure brought to bear upon the regular Republicans from Washington undoubtedly had much to do with preventing the acceptance of the Democratic offer to join with the regulars to elect one regular and leave a vacancy.

Hanna Fixed It.

Mr. Dick is said to have come here under instructions from National Chairman Hanna to urge the regular Republicans to accept the proposition agreed on by Mr. Addicks and his adherents on Saturday, for the election of a union Republican to the long term senatorship.

FOR GOOD OF SERVICE

Secretary Shaw Denies That Recent Removals Were Made For Political Purposes.

Washington, March 2.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw today denied the report that certain removals made at the port of New York were being made for political reasons. He said the removals were for the good of the service and as a business proposition.

The changes at the port, he said, were not made at the instance of the regulars and upon the recommendation of the collector and the appraiser. The secretary said there was nothing sensational in connection with the removals, but that the government lost more money through inefficiency than it did through the actual fraud of customs officials. The changes were made to increase the efficiency of the service. He said the removals had nothing to do with the silk frauds and would have no effect upon the political purposes now in the hands of Special District Attorney Smith, in charge of the cases.

He said there were 2,500 persons connected with his department and that a private business man would not expect a government would have removals every day. He thought there was more danger of inefficient men being kept than of efficient men being discharged for such reasons.

CRISIS IN THE STRIKE AT COLORADO CITY

Colorado Springs, Colo., March 2.—Before the end of the week there will be a crisis in the strike of the mill and smeltermen at Colorado City. The union of the Western Federation of Miners has laid the matter before the miners of the Cripple Creek district, and an ultimatum vote will be taken by the members of the twelve different unions in that camp during the next few days. The proposition is whether or not they will strike in sympathy with the Colorado City millmen.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A FAST FREIGHT

WASHINGTON, Ind., March 2.—Train wreckers, in an attempt to ditch No. 12, one of the fastest express trains on the Baltimore & Ohio southwestern, wrecked a fast freight, No. 33, resulting in the death of fireman Joseph Hughey of this city, and Harvey Friend of Odell, Ill., who was learning the stations on the road so as to work as a fireman, and fatally injured a brakeman, W. L. Lucas of this city, near Lebanon, Ill., last night. Engineer Wedding escaped by jumping.

The wrecked train was running fast near Bennett's mine, a lonely hollow twenty-four miles east of St. Louis, when the engine dashed into an open switch. The engine plunged into the switch and turned over. Eleven freight cars piled up on the engine and fire broke out in the debris. The railroad officials believe the wreck was caused by persons leaving the switch open, with the intention of ditching and then robbing the fast express, which carried considerable money. The freight arrived a few minutes ahead of the express and was wrecked and the passenger train escaped.

FURTHER ADVENTURES OF "RAMBLING REED" AND "FUSSY JIMMY."—No. 7.



They Rehearse for Their Debut in the Extra Session.

CARPENTER PICKED UP LOST IN A BLIZZARD

One Survivor of the British Ship Cambrian Prince, Wrecked in North Sea.

Hamburg, March 2.—The carpenter of the British ship Cambrian Prince, Captain Owens, from Quimbo for Middlesbrough, has been picked up in the North sea. He reports that the Cambrian Prince capsized and sank.

It was announced in a dispatch from London last night that a quantity of wreckage had been seen off the coast of Northumberland, and that the indications pointed to the British ship Cambrian Prince having been wrecked.

The Cambrian Prince was of 1,250 tons net burden. She was built in 1875 and was owned by the Cambrian Prince company of Liverpool. She was 224 feet 7 inches long, had 27 feet beam and was 22 feet 6 inches deep.

ITALIAN BISHOPS GOT MOST OF THE TICKETS

Rome, March 2.—The struggle to obtain tickets for tomorrow's ceremony at the vatican on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the coronation of the pope has been quite unprecedented. It is expected that more than 30,000 persons will be present. The tickets are in great demand. The Italian bishops got most of the tickets. The tickets are in great demand. The Italian bishops got most of the tickets.

SIGNED BY ROOSEVELT.

Washington, March 2.—The president signed the army appropriation and Philippine coice bills today.

UNCLE SAM CONSENTED

Debate in British House of Lords Over the Venezuelan Blockade.

London, March 2.—Venezuela was brought up in the house of lords today on a motion of Baron Tweedmouth, liberal, asking for further papers on the subject. He complained that the recent published blue book did not clearly set out the United States government with reference to the blockade and said that dispatches from the United States were badly worded and that the statements of Premier Balfour and other ministers.

Foreign Secretary Lansdowne, in reply, defended the co-operation with the United States government and said that the United States government was not to be blamed for the blockade. He said that the United States government was not to be blamed for the blockade.

PRESENTS FOR THE SHAH.

Washington, March 2.—Richmond Pearson, United States minister of Persia, called on the president today. He will leave for his post on the 24th instant. He will convey to the shah of Persia a handsome token of regard from President Roosevelt. He, himself, will take and present to the shah a type writer which is fitted with Persian characters.

TOO LATE.

Washington, March 2.—The Al-drich financial bill will probably be laid aside when the senate meets tomorrow, and Senator Lodge will move the passage of the Philippines tariff bill, and will try to get a vote thereon, although it is generally regarded as impossible to get a vote on it at this late hour in the session.

OHIO SUFFERS FROM FLOODS

One Man Was Drowned In the Street at Findlay.

MANY OTHER CASUALTIES

DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY WILL BE VERY GREAT.

TOLEDO, O., March 2.—Although the danger of serious floods in Toledo passed today when the ice moved out of the Maumee river, it is not true of other towns in this section of Ohio. Specials to the Bee from northwestern Ohio towns show that the situation is serious at Findlay, Lima, Tiffin, Marysville, Upper Sandusky and neighboring towns.

At Findlay, Sam Moffatt was drowned in the street. The water had raised the sidewalk. He broke through and met death in ten feet of water.

Nelson Jacobs and Henry Thomas, also of Findlay, wealthy farmers, attempted to drive through a low place in the road. The horses floundered in five feet of water. The men and horses were drowned.

At Fremont, David Divley was driving along the river road and in an attempt to pass a low spot was swept away by the current of water and drowned.

All the rivers and creeks higher than they have been for twenty years. Steam and electric railway tracks have been washed out and bridges are in danger. Persons living in the lowlands have been forced to abandon their houses.

Heavy Livestock Losses.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 2.—It is estimated that the damage to farms along White river from Indianapolis to Mount Carmel, Ill., will reach \$1,000,000. This does not include heavy losses of livestock that have been drowned.

At Fort Wayne the St. Mary and St. Joseph rivers, which form the Maumee river, are on a rampage and the factory district of Fort Wayne is threatened. Homes in the vicinity of Lawton park are being deserted.

Above Danger Line.

Memphis, Tenn., March 2.—The river at this point is now one foot and two tenths above the danger line. A great area of farming land on the Arkansas side is inundated, and in many instances farmers have abandoned their homes. The overflow prevails as far south as Helena, Ark.

Many Families Homeless.

Huntington, W. Va., March 2.—The Ohio river is rising rapidly. The Big Sandy, the Twelve Pole and the Guayandote are booming and great damage has been resulted to timbering, owing to the breaking of booms. In Ceredo, fifty families have been driven from their homes.

BUTTE MURDERER DECLARED INSANE

Butte, Mont., March 2.—James Cusick, who shot and killed Tom Burgess in front of the Elite saloon here last June, was today acquitted by a jury in Judge McClernan's court, on the ground of insanity. Cusick will be examined by a commission and probably sent to the insane asylum at Warm Springs. He took the verdict without visible signs of emotion, and maintains a stolid indifference as to his fate.

UTAH MAN HOOKS ON.

Benjamin J. Bothe Nominated For Postmaster at Brigham.

(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, March 2.—Benjamin J. Bothe was today nominated by President Roosevelt as postmaster at Brigham City, Utah.

HIS SISTER ALONE DEFENDS HIM

Murderer Knapp Deserted by All His Family Save One, Mrs. Wentzel, Who Declares Her Brother is Insane.

HAMILTON, O., March 2.—Alfred Knapp, the stranger, was arraigned before Mayor Bosch today. A considerable crowd of people was at police headquarters and crowds of reporters were on hand. When Knapp left the jail in charge of Sheriff Bilsdorf and Chief Kemmerling in a cab he was not handcuffed and was treated with consideration. Before the arraignment he sat quietly in the police court chatting with the officers. He was talkative and told the story of how a horse kicked him on the head when he was 5 years old. His sister, Mrs. Sadie Wentzel of Cincinnati, was the only member of the family with him. When the proceeding began Knapp stood up and the affidavit charging him with choking Hannah Goddard, wife No. 2, to death, was read. Mayor Bosch explained to the prisoner his rights and asked him to plead "not guilty." Asked if he wished a preliminary hearing, Knapp said: "I suppose I might as well."

BAD WRECK ON THE MISSOURI PACIFIC

Port Scott, Kan., March 2.—Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 48, which left Wichita yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock for St. Louis, via Fort Scott, Rich Hill and Pleasant Hill, collided head-on with a freight train on a trestle for miles west of Fort Scott during the night. The engines were completely telescoped, but none of the passenger coaches was turned over. Twenty or more passengers sustained cuts and bruises, but none was dangerously hurt.

James Garrett of Eldorado, Kan., the passenger engineer, and Walter Smith, fireman, were badly injured. The accident resulted from the fact that the freight crew, unable to run their train on a siding in time to give the passenger a clearance, failed to send out a flag.

ONLY SUCCEEDED IN KILLING HERSELF

Columbus, Neb., March 2.—Mrs. Soren Anderson, wife of a farmer living fifteen miles north of here, attempted to take the life of her husband and her 10-year-old daughter by throwing carbolic acid in their faces and then swallowing the contents of the bottle of the drug. Mrs. Anderson is dead, but her husband and daughter will recover. Domestic trouble is said to have been the cause.

HAS PNEUMONIA.

Austin, Tex., March 2.—Miss Kathryn Kidder, the actress, is confined to her room in a hotel at San Antonio, suffering from pneumonia.

GAMBLING BILL KILLED.

Helena, Mont., March 2.—The house of representatives tonight killed the bill to license gambling, which was introduced in the house, in committee of the whole, ordered a favorable report on it. The first anti-gambling law was passed in 1895 and was declared invalid through technicalities. Another was passed in 1897, and has been in force since.

THE BRITISH THREATEN TO RETALIATE

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Although only one protest has so far been filed with the state department by European powers against the ratification of the Cuban treaty, it is learned that public but pointed inquiries have supplemented the note filed by the British ambassador from other parties in interest, notably France and other European beet sugar producing countries. In advance of the consummation of the treaty, of course no open threat could be made, but events are shaping themselves so as to arouse the expectation by the officials here that Europe will retaliate against what it regards as the unjust discrimination against European goods that would be involved in the application of the Cuban treaty. It is known that the inquiries referred to have not been confined to Washington, but that they also have been directed to President Palma at Havana and have added very much to the difficulty he is under in securing favorable action upon the treaty in the Cuban congress.